## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA AIKEN DIVISION

Roger Miller,	) C/A No.: 1:13-1122-JMC-SVH
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Plaintiff,	)
	)
VS.	)
	) REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION
Carolyn W. Colvin, Acting	)
Commissioner of Social Security	)
Administration,	)
	)
Defendant.	)
	)

Plaintiff brought this matter appealing a decision of the Commissioner of Social Security on April 25, 2013. [Entry #1]. Defendant filed an answer and the administrative record of the underlying proceedings on September 17, 2013. [Entries #10, #11]. Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 83VII.04 (D.S.C.), Plaintiff's brief was due on October 21, 2013. Plaintiff failed to timely file his brief.

On January 3, 2014, the undersigned issued an order directing Plaintiff to file a brief by January 10, 2014, or show cause why this case should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute. [Entry #12]. Plaintiff failed to file his brief or otherwise respond to the order. As such, it appears that Plaintiff wishes to abandon this action. Based on the foregoing, the undersigned recommends this action be dismissed with prejudice for failure to prosecute. *See Davis v. Williams*, 588 F.2d 69, 70 (4th Cir. 1978); Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b).

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IT IS SO RECOMMENDED.

Shuia V. Hodges

January 14, 2014 Columbia, South Carolina Shiva V. Hodges United States Magistrate Judge

The parties are directed to note the important information in the attached "Notice of Right to File Objections to Report and Recommendation."

## Notice of Right to File Objections to Report and Recommendation

The parties are advised that they may file specific written objections to this Report and Recommendation with the District Judge. Objections must specifically identify the portions of the Report and Recommendation to which objections are made and the basis for such objections. "[I]n the absence of a timely filed objection, a district court need not conduct a de novo review, but instead must 'only satisfy itself that there is no clear error on the face of the record in order to accept the recommendation." *Diamond v. Colonial Life & Acc. Ins. Co.*, 416 F.3d 310 (4th Cir. 2005) (quoting Fed. R. Civ. P. 72 advisory committee's note).

Specific written objections must be filed within fourteen (14) days of the date of service of this Report and Recommendation. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b); see Fed. R. Civ. P. 6(a), (d). Filing by mail pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 5 may be accomplished by mailing objections to:

Robin L. Blume, Clerk
United States District Court
901 Richland Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Failure to timely file specific written objections to this Report and Recommendation will result in waiver of the right to appeal from a judgment of the District Court based upon such Recommendation. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); *Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140 (1985); *Wright v. Collins*, 766 F.2d 841 (4th Cir. 1985); *United States v. Schronce*, 727 F.2d 91 (4th Cir. 1984).